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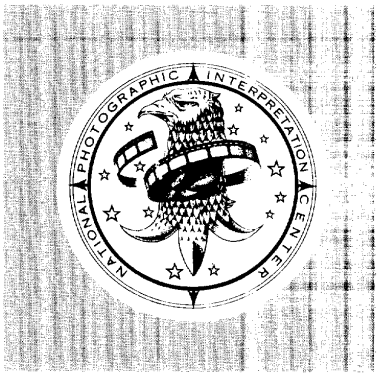

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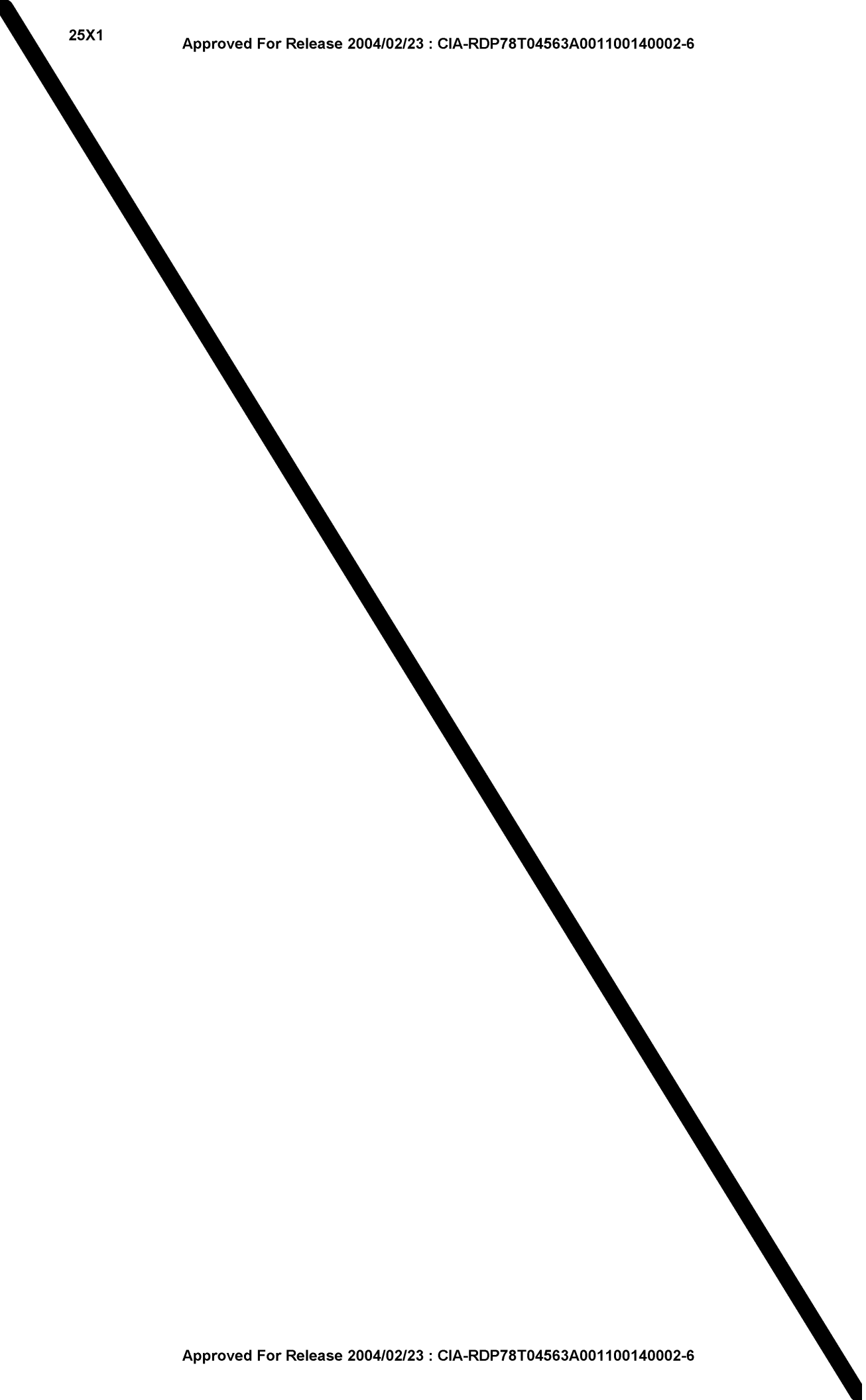

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INSTALLATION NAME AND MILITARY REGION			COUNTRY
Wu-wei Probable Barracks Area SW (Lan-chou MR)			CH
UTM COORDINATES	GEOGRAPHIC COORDINATES		
NA	37-55-35N 102-37-35E		

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MAP REFERENCE

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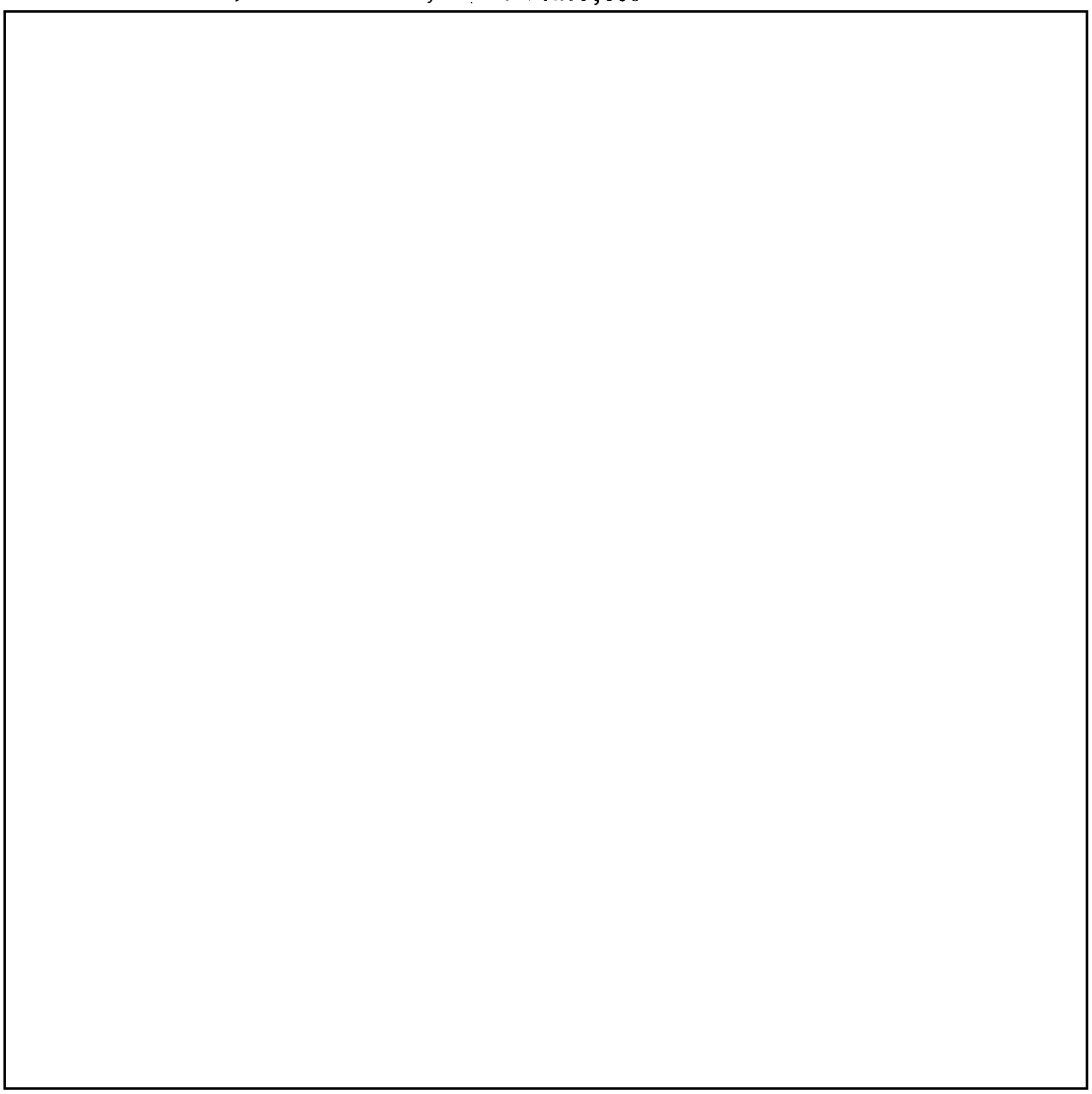

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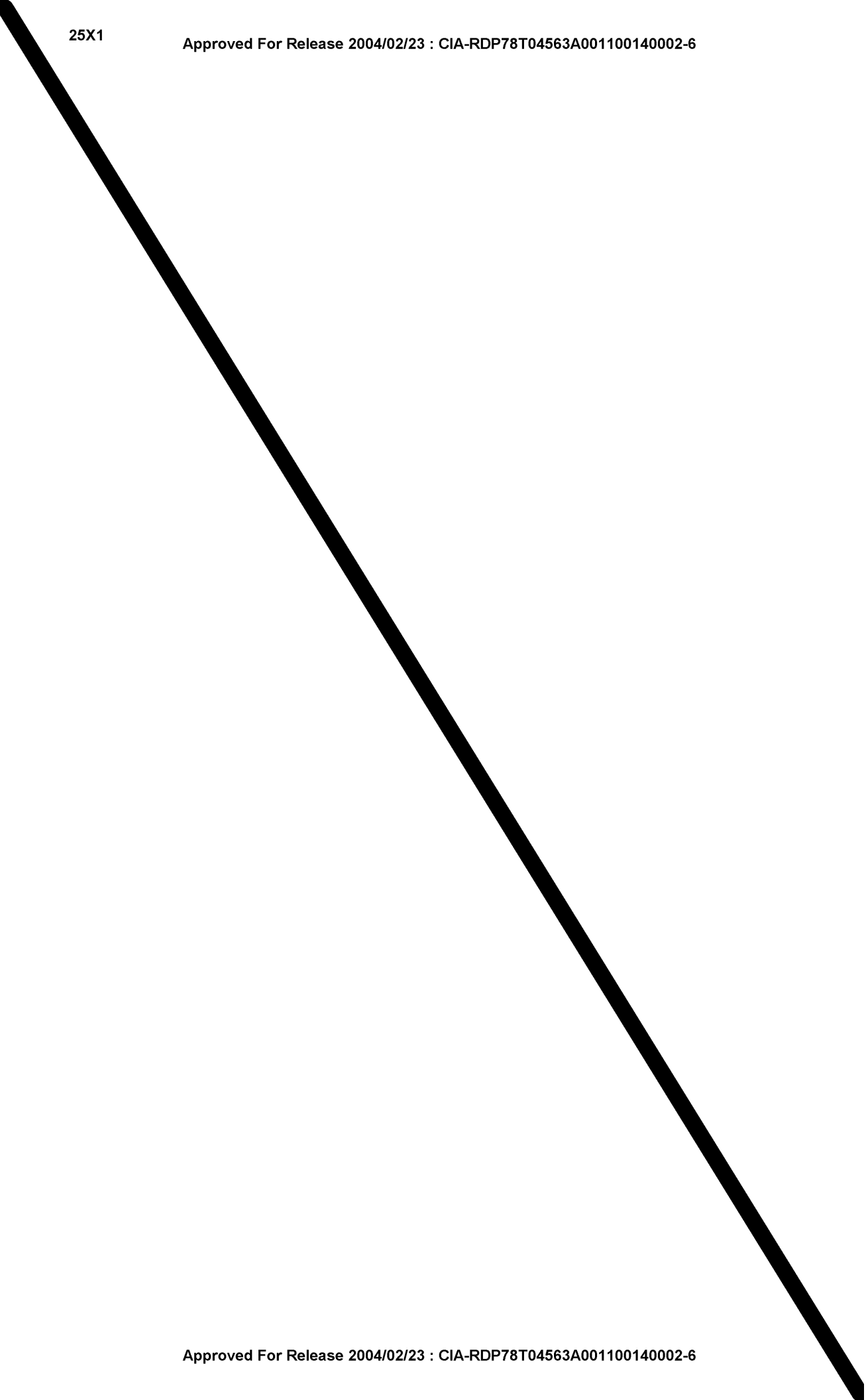

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INSTALLATION: Wu-wei Probable Barracks Area SW, Lan-chou Military Region, China

LOCATION: Wu-wei Probable Barracks Area SW is on the western edge of Wu-wei, approximately 150 nautical miles (nm) north-northwest of Lan-chou, in Kansu Province, China.

GENERAL: The installation has been present since at least 1961. Major changes have included the reconstruction of barracks and barracks/support buildings #33-42 in 1964, the construction of barracks #21 and administration/support building #22, and the construction of barracks #18 and 19.

Although no vehicles or equipment have been observed within this installation, it has apparently been continually active since first observed.

Other possibly related military installations include Wu-wei Barracks Area NE [redacted] 25X1
Wu-wei Barracks East [redacted] and Wu-wei 25X1
Barracks Area West [redacted] The Wu-wei 25X1
SSM Training Position [redacted] is approximately 1.5 nm northeast of Wu-wei. 25X1

Accuracy Statement: [redacted] 25X1
[redacted] Conversion from square meters to square feet was 25X1
determined by the factor: 1 square meter equals 10.76 square feet.

Function/Description	Overall Dimensions Meters	Feet	Floorspace Sq Meters	Sq Feet
Area Aa - Billeting Area				
3 barracks #18,19,21 5 barracks #23-27 5 barracks #38-42 5 prob barracks/support bldgs #33-37 1 poss admin/support bldg #22 7 support bldgs #15,16,28-32 2 minor support bldgs #17,20	[redacted]			25X1
Floorspace of Major Buildings - Area Aa				
Barracks Prob Barracks/Support	[redacted]			25X1
Area Ea - Admin/Support Area				
1 quarters bldg #54b 1 storage bldg #54a 1 admin bldg #48 1 poss admin/support bldg #51 1 auditorium #49 1 messhall #50 2 furnace bldgs #44,53 4 major support bldgs #43,45,52, 54c 1 water standpipe #47 1 water tank #46				

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Function/Description	Overall Dimensions Meters	Feet	Floorspace Sq Meters	Sq Feet

Floorspace of Major Buildings - Area Ea

Quarters
Storage

AREA
Area Ra - Physical Training Area

1 exercise track #1
3 basketball courts #3-5
4 volleyball courts #9-12
2 athletic courts #6,7
2 physical training devices #2,8
2 probable rope-climbing devices #13,14

25X1 Floorspace of Major Buildings -

Barracks
Prob Barracks/Support
Quarters
Storage

Chronological Listing of Facilities, Vehicles and Equipment, and Activity

Base Data

25X1

Floorspace of Major Buildings

Area Aa

Barracks
Prob Barracks/Support

Area Ea

Quarters
Storage

Installation

Barracks
Prob Barracks/Support
Quarters
Storage

Changes which have occurred within the installation from (date of base coverage) (date of latest coverage) are listed as follows:

Area Aa

3 barracks #18,19,21 added
2 prob barracks/support bldgs #36,37 added
1 poss admin/support bldg #22 added
2 minor support bldgs #17,20 added
1 basketball court added (later removed)

Chronological Listing of Facilities, Vehicles and Equipment, and Activity (Cont.)

Area Ea

2 major support bldgs #43,45 added
1 major support bldg removed
1 water standpipe #47 added
1 gate house removed

Area Ra

Running track #1 enlarged
3 basketball courts #3-5 added
1 basketball court added (later removed)
4 volleyball courts #9-12 added
2 athletic courts #6,7 added
2 physical training devices #2,8 added
2 prob rope-climbing devices #13,14 added
1 physical training device added (later removed)

These changes are reflected in the following chronology:

Chronological Listing of Facilities, Vehicles and Equipment, and Activity (Cont.)

25X1 [redacted]

Facilities

Base data established on this mission.

Vehicles and Equipment

Small scale precluded identification.

Activity

Small scale precluded identification.

[redacted] 25X1

Facilities

Area Aa

2 prob barracks/support bldgs #36,37 added
346.0 sq m (3,723 sq ft)

1 water standpipe #47 added

Area Ra

Running track #1 enlarged

Vehicles and Equipment

Small scale precluded identification.

Activity

None was observed.

Floorspace of Major Buildings [redacted] 25X1

Area Aa

Barracks
[redacted] 25X1

Prob Barracks/Support
865.0 sq m (9,307 sq ft)

Area Ea

Quarters
[redacted] 25X1

Storage
100.0 sq m (1,076 sq ft)

Installation

Barracks
[redacted] 25X1

Prob Barracks/Support
865.0 sq m (9,307 sq ft)

Quarters
[redacted] 25X1

Storage
100.0 sq m (1,076 sq ft)

Chronological Listing of Facilities, Vehicles and Equipment, and Activity (Cont.)

25X1 [redacted] [redacted] 25X1

Facilities

No changes were observed.

Vehicles and Equipment

None were observed.

Activity

The installation appeared well kept.

Facilities

Area Aa

1 barracks #21 added

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1 poss admin/support bldg #22 added

Area Ra

4 basketball courts #3-5 added (one later removed)

4 volleyball courts #9-12 added

2 athletic courts #6, 7 added

2 physical training devices #2,8 had been added

3 prob rope-climbing devices #13,14 added (one later removed)

Vehicles and Equipment

None were observed.

Activity

The installation appeared well kept.

Floorspace of Major Buildings - [redacted] 25X1

Area Aa

Barracks

[redacted] 25X1

Prob Barracks/Support
865.0 sq m (9,307 sq ft)

Area Ea

Quarters

[redacted] 25X1

Storage
100.0 sq m (1,076 sq ft)

Installation

Barracks

[redacted] 25X1

Prob Barracks/Support
865.0 sq m (9,307 sq ft)

Quarters

[redacted] 25X1

Storage
100.0 sq m (1,076 sq ft)

Chronological Listing of Facilities, Vehicles and Equipment, and Activity (Cont.)

25X1 [redacted] [redacted] 25X1

Facilities

Area Aa

1 minor support bldg
#17 added

Vehicles and Equipment

None were observed.

Activity

None was observed.

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